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The Honorable Paul S. Diamond

Re:

U.S.A. v. Rae Talley

Docket No. 0313 2:14CR00285-001

Dear Judge Diamond:

Ms. Talley's sentencing is scheduled for April 19, 2016 at 11:00 a.m. She informed me this morning that her maternal grandfather died in Harrisburg, where she resides. The funeral has not yet been scheduled although I would anticipate that it would be this weekend or early next week. Because of her personal family tragedy, I respectfully request that this matter be postponed for a modest period of time. The assigned Assistant United States Attorney, Mary Kay Costello, has kindly informed me that the Government has no objection to such a continuance.

I understand that it may be possible to reschedule the sentencing until April 29th. I would be most grateful if Your Honor would therefore postpone the sentencing to a date suitable to the Court, both counsel, and Ms. Talley.

Thanking Your Honor in advance for your kind consideration, I am,

Respectfully,

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